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OBJECTIVES -

A) MAINTENANCE OF FRANCE AS A DEMOCRATIC PRO-WESTERN COUNTRY.

B) MAXIMUM FRENCH-US COOPERATION ON KEY ISSUES AFFECTING US INTERESTS, WITH PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO THE FOLLOWING

AREAS:

-- 1) MULTILATERAL AFFAIRS

-- 2) DEFENSE, ARMS CONTROL, AND NUCLEAR NON-PROLIFERATION
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-- 3) REVISION OF THE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY AND TRADE SYSTEM AND SENSITIVE TRADE ISSUES.

C) IMPROVED FRENCH UNDERSTANDING AND APPRECIATION OF US CULTURE, SOCIETY, AND GOVERNMENT POLICIES.

POLICIES -

A) SUPPORT DEMOCRATIC FORCES IN FRANCE.

B) EXPAND THE DIALOGUE WITH THE LEFT WITHOUT LEAVING THE IMPRESSION THAT WE ARE INDIFFERENT TO THE CONSEQUENCES OF EXPANDED COMMUNIST INFLUENCE IN FRANCE.

C) PUBLICLY SUPPORT THE PROCESS OF EUROPEAN UNIFICATION.

D) COORDINATE POLICIES WITH GOF INVOLVING AREAS IN WHICH FRANCE HAS IMPORTANT INTERESTS AND INFLUENCE, E.G., EAST-WEST RELATIONS, AFRICA, MIDDLE EAST. MAKE EAST-WEST RELATIONS A MAJOR ELEMENT IN OUR DIALOGUE WITH THE SOCIALISTS. TAKE ADVANTAGE OF FRENCH ASSETS IN MULTILATERAL ORGANIZATIONS.

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